

Notice of Allowability	Application No.	Applicant(s)
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	Examiner	Art Unit
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All claims being allowable, PROSECUTION ON THE MERITS IS (OR REMAINS) CLOSED in this application. If not included herewith (or previously mailed), a Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85) or other appropriate communication will be mailed in due course. **THIS NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY IS NOT A GRANT OF PATENT RIGHTS.** This application is subject to withdrawal from issue at the initiative of the Office or upon petition by the applicant. See 37 CFR 1.313 and MPEP 1308.

1. This communication is responsive to amendment filed 11 May 2005.
2. The allowed claim(s) is/are 1,3-8 and 10-15.
3. The drawings filed on 19 September 2003 are accepted by the Examiner.
4. Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
 - a) All b) Some* c) None of the:
 1. Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
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5. A SUBSTITUTE OATH OR DECLARATION must be submitted. Note the attached EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT or NOTICE OF INFORMAL PATENT APPLICATION (PTO-152) which gives reason(s) why the oath or declaration is deficient.
6. CORRECTED DRAWINGS (as "replacement sheets") must be submitted.
 - (a) including changes required by the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) attached
 - 1) hereto or 2) to Paper No./Mail Date _____.
 - (b) including changes required by the attached Examiner's Amendment / Comment or in the Office action of Paper No./Mail Date _____.
7. DEPOSIT OF and/or INFORMATION about the deposit of BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL must be submitted. Note the attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT FOR THE DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL.

Attachment(s)

1. Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)
2. Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)
3. Information Disclosure Statements (PTO-1449 or PTO/SB/08),
Paper No./Mail Date _____
4. Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit
of Biological Material
5. Notice of Informal Patent Application (PTO-152)
6. Interview Summary (PTO-413),
Paper No./Mail Date _____
7. Examiner's Amendment/Comment
8. Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance
9. Other _____.

DETAILED ACTION

Allowable Subject Matter

1. Claims 1, 3-8 and 10-15 are allowed.

2. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance:

Regarding independent claims 1 and 8, the prior art does not disclose nor suggest a system or method for vehicle navigation that requests a range of information cells from a central remote server wherein the vehicle terminal determines the range of cells of which cell data are required in inverse proportion to the vehicle speed.

Regarding independent claims 4 and 11, the prior art does not disclose nor suggest a system or method for vehicle navigation that requests a range of information cells from a central remote server wherein the vehicle terminal determines the range of cells of which cell data are required in inverse proportion to the scroll speed of the vehicle terminal.

Regarding independent claims 6 and 13, the prior art does not disclose nor suggest a system or method for vehicle navigation that requests a range of information cells from a central remote server wherein the vehicle state information includes a road classification and in the case that the classification of the road on which the vehicle is positioned is determined to be a highway or an exclusive right-of-way for vehicles, the vehicle terminal determines the range of cells of which cell data are required based on a divergent point or an interchange on the road.

Regarding independent claim 15, the prior art does not disclose nor suggest a vehicle terminal for vehicle navigation that requests a range of information from a central remote server wherein the vehicle terminal determines the range of cells of which cell data are required in inverse proportion to the vehicle speed when the vehicle state information includes the vehicle speed; said vehicle terminal determines the range of cells of which cell data are required in inverse proportion to the scroll speed of the vehicle terminal when the vehicle state information includes the scroll speed of the vehicle terminal; and said vehicle terminal determines the range of cells of which cell data are required based on a divergent point or an interchange on the road, in the case that the classification of the road on which the vehicle is positioned is determined to be a highway or an exclusive right-of-way for vehicles when the vehicle stat information includes the road classification.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

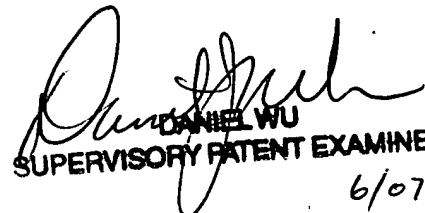
Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Travis R. Hunnings whose telephone number is (571) 272-3118. The examiner can normally be reached on 8:00 am - 5:00 pm M-F.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Daniel J. Wu can be reached on (571) 272-2964. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.

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